

PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Markets.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day, Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce and Vegetables.

PORTLAND, May 29.—Wax and green beans are scarce just now, when they ought to be plentiful, said a front street wholesaler today, "and this is solely the result of the action of one eccentric firm on the street. Fairly good shipments of the stuff came in a week or more ago from California and they should have sold at fair prices; but this firm, for some reason that has not been made known, saw fit to sell the product at figures that meant loss for all concerned."

WHOLESALE PRICES.

The following are quotations ruling in Portland as reported by jobbers in the various lines:

Grain, Flour, Feed. Wheat—Club, 87c; Valley, 85c; bluestem, 84c; red, 80c. Flour—Hard wheat patent, \$5.50; straight, \$4; graham, \$4.45; rye, \$5; whole wheat flour, \$4.25; Valley flour, \$4.15; Dakota, \$6.25; Eastern rye, \$6.50; Pillsbury, \$6.75; Corvallis, \$3.80. Cereal foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$7; lower grade, \$5.50; 6.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 45-lb. sacks, \$5 bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 45-lb. sacks, \$7.50 per bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4 per bale; split peas, \$4.25 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25; pearl barley, \$4 per 100 lbs.; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$2.30 per bbl. Oats—White, \$28.50; gray, \$27@28. Corn—Whole, \$25; cracked, \$26 ton. Barley—Brewing, \$22.50@23.50; feed \$22@22.50; rolled, \$23.50@24.50. Rye—\$1.45@1.50 per cwt. Buckwheat—\$36 per ton. Millstuffs—Middlings, \$25; chop, \$15; bran, \$17; shorts, \$19.50. Grain bags—Foreign and domestic, \$4@9c. Hay—Valley, timothy, \$16@18; Eastern Oregon, \$21@23; clover, \$8.50; cheat, \$10; alfalfa, \$13; grain hay, \$7 @8; vetch, \$9.50.

Fruits. Tropical fruits—Bananas, 5 1/2c per pound; lemons, \$5@8 box; oranges, \$3@2.75; grape fruit, \$2.50 crate; limes, 75c@1.25 per 100; tangerines, \$2 box; strawberries, 15-pound crate, \$1.50@ \$2.00; home-grown, 15@15c pound. Dried fruits—Apples, evaporated, 3 1/2 @3c lb.; apricots, 20c; peaches, 13 1/2c; pears, 12 1/2c; prunes, Italian, 4@4 1/2c; French, 4@6c; figs, California blacks, 5 1/2c; California whites, 6c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 6c. Domestic fruits—Apples, common, \$1.50@2; fancy, \$2@2.50 box.

Vegetables. Cabbage—Pound, \$3@3 1/2c; cauliflower, 75c@1 per dozen; parsley, 25c per dozen; hothouse lettuce, \$2 per box, head, 40c dozen; spinach, per box, \$1.25; artichokes, 75c@1 per dozen; Alaska peas, 6c; telephone peas, 10c lb.; okra, \$1.75; tomatoes, Mexican, \$2.50@3.75; Florida, \$4@4.50; Oregon rhubarb, 3@4c; cucumbers, \$2@3.50 dozen; eggplant, 35c lb.; Cuban peppers, \$6 crate; asparagus, \$1.75 box. Potatoes—Fancy, \$2 per cwt. Onions—25c@33. Turnips—Per sack, \$2; carrots, \$2.25 sack; beets, \$2.25@2.50; horseradish, \$6@8c per pound.

Produce. Butter—Country creamery, 20@22 1/2c; city creamery, 22 1/2c; store, 15 @16c; butter fat, 21c. Eggs—Oregon ranch, 17 1/2@18c. Cheese—Young America, 17@17 1/2c; Oregon full cream, flats, 16@16c. Poultry—Old roosters, 9@10c; hens, 14c; mixed, 13 1-2; fryers, 18 1-2c; broilers, 20 cents; dressed, 1@1 1/2 higher than live; ducks, old 13@14c; young, 17@18c; geese, live, 8c; dressed, 10@11c; pigeons, \$1@1.25 per dozen; squabs, \$2@2.50 per dozen. Honey—Dark, 10 1/2@11c; amber, 12 @13c; fancy white, 14@15c.

Fresh Meats and Fish. Fresh meats—Veal, medium, 75 to 100 lbs., 8 @ 8 1-2c; 100 to 150 lbs., 7 1-2 to 8c; 150 to 200 lbs., 6 @ 6 1-2c; 200 lbs. and over, 5 1-2 @ 6c; pork, 8 1/2 @ 9c; heaven, 7 @ 8c; beef, bulls, 8 @ 8 1-2c; cows, 5 @ 6c; steers, 6 @ 7c; mutton, medium size, 9 @ 10c; large 7 @ 8c. Fish—halibut, 81-2c; black cod, 8c; black bass, per lb., 18c; striped bass, 13c; herring, 5c; flounders, 6c; oastfish, 12c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 6c; sturgeon, 12 1-2c; sea trout, 15c; silverides, frozen, 9c; steelheads, 11c; tom cod

7c; smelts, 5c; Chinook salmon, 12 1-2 c. Oysters—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.50 per 100; Olympia, 120 lbs., \$6; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.25. Clams—Hardshell, per box, \$2.40; razor clams, \$2 per box.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—Choice, 3 @ 11c; prime, 3 @ 1-2c per lb. Wool—Valley, 21 @ 22c; Eastern Oregon, 18 @ 18 1-2c; as to shrinkage. Feathers—Geese, white, 35 @ 40c; geese, gray or mixed, 25 @ 30c; duck, white, 15 @ 20c; duck, mixed, 12 @ 15c. Mohair—Choice, 28 @ 29c. Cascara sagrada, (Chittim bark)—\$ 1-2 @ 1-2 cts. per lb. Beeswax—Good, clean and pure, 22 @ 25c per lb. Tallow—Prime, 3 1-2 @ 4 1-2c; No. 2 and grease, 3 @ 3c per lb. Oregon grape root—Per 100 lbs., 3 @ 4c. Hides—Dry No. 1, 16 lbs. and up, per lb., 17 @ 19c; kip, No. 1, 17 @ 20c; according to size. Dry salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; low grades 3-12 @ 3c per lb. less; salted steers, 40 lbs. and up, 10 @ 11c; under 50 lbs., steers and cows, 9 @ 10 c; stags and bulls, 7c; kips, 15 to 30 lbs., 10c per lb.; calf, 10 to 14 lbs., 11c; calf, under 10 lbs., 11 @ 12c; green, unsalted, 1c per lb. less; sheepskins, shearings, No. 1, 15 @ 25c; short wool, No. 1, 40 @ 60c each; medium wool, No. 1, 31 @ 1.50 each; murrain pelts, 10 to 20 per cent less; horse hides, salted, \$1.50 to 2, according to size; dry, according to size, \$1 @ \$1.25; colt, 25 @ 50c each; Angora, woolled, 30c @ \$1.50; goat, common, 15 @ 25c each.

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar, sack basis—D. G., \$5.77 1/2; Star, \$5.67 1/2; Pacific Coast, \$5.67 1/2; Golden C., \$5.17 1/2; Extra C., \$5.27 1/2; powdered, \$5.87 1/2; cube, \$5.87 1/2; fruit sugar, \$5.77 1/2; boxes, 50c cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1/4c if paid for in 15 days.) Beans—Small white, 3 1/2c; large white, 3 1/2c; pink, 3 1/2c; bayou, 3 1/2c; Lima, 5 1/2c; Mexican reds, 4c. Coffee—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy, 26@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 15 1/2@17c; Costa Rica, good, 12@15c; Arabucke, \$16.63 cwt.; Lion, 15 1/2c per lb.; Colombia coffee, 14c; Salvador, 11 1/2@14 1/2c. Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5.95c; Southern Japan, 5 1/2@5 1/2c; broken, 4 1/2c; head, fancy, 6 1/2c; choice, 6c. Sago and tapioca—Scarce, 5 1/2c lb. Figs—White, lb., 6@7c; black, 6 @ 7c lb. Lard—Kettle-rendered, tierces, 12c; tubs, 12 1/2c; 50s, 12 1/2c; 20s, 12 1/2c, 10s, 12 1/2c; 5s, 11 1/2c. Standard pure: Tierces, 1c less; compound, tierces, 3 1/2c; leaf, 13c. Dried Fruits—Apples, evaporated, 10c per lb.; sundried, sacks or boxes, none; apricots 20c; peaches 13 1-2c; pears, 13 1-2c; prunes, Italian, 4 @ 6 1-2c; French, 4 @ 6c; Figs, California, blacks, 5 3-4c; California whites, 6c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 6c.

Provisions—Hams, large 16c; small, 16 1-2c; picnic, 12c; boiled hams, 25c; boiled picnic, 20c; breakfast bacon, fancy, 21 1-2c; English, 17c; dry salted short clears, 12c; backs, 12c. Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 17@ 18c; No. 1 hard shell, 15 @ 16c; almonds, 19 @ 20c; filberts 16c; Brazil, 20c; pecans, 25c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 3 1-2c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 10c; Japanese peanuts, 6 1-2c; Chestnuts, Italian, 20c; Italian, 20c; coconuts, dozen, 85 @ 90c; pine-nuts, 17 1-2c. Dates—Golden, 60 lb. boxes, 7c; 11b. packages, 8c; Fard, 15 lb. boxes, \$1.40 box. Raisins—Loose Muscatels, 3 crown, 8c; 2-crown, 8 1-2c; Bleached seedless Sultanias, 10 @ 11 1-2c; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 3 1-2c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20lbs., \$2.35; 2-crown, \$2.10.

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CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN. NEW YORK, May 29.—At a meeting of the trustees of the Protestant Cathedral of St. John, the Divine yesterday, it was reported that the west arch would probably be completed this summer. Secretary Miller said this would be one-fifth of the work accomplished. Up to the present \$2,500,000 has been spent on the cathedral.

LAW AND ORDER

Business Men of Frisco to Organize Committee.

PLAN TO RESTORE CONFIDENCE

Committee of 75 Will be Created Within Next Few Days—Members Will be Representative Business Men—Will Bring Things to Climax. SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Within the next few days a committee of 75, comprising the most influential business men, merchants and manufacturers of San Francisco will be created. It will form a rallying point for the decent, conservative element in the community, which wishes to see law and order preserved and business confidence restored.

In personnel the committee is intended to be representative of those elements in the community whose interests are most vitally at stake—the merchants, business men and manufacturers, the large owners of property and the leaders in the financial world. It's size and the character of its members is intended to give it a power and influence that will enable it to take a firm stand in the present crisis and bring an overwhelming influence to bear against the forces of disorder.

Spurred by the declaration of Governor Gillett in his public statement of Friday last, the executive committee appointed in joint mass meeting several weeks ago by the Merchants Exchange, the Merchants association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Manufacturers and Producers Association and the Board of Trade, and which is back of the present movement, has the ground and, after due deliberation and conference with the Governor, is almost ready to announce its plan.

TECHNICALLY-EDUCATED MEN NEEDED

Not Enough to Meet the Demand of the Industrial World—Graduates of the Technical Schools Sought Eagerly by Employers.

Some time ago a large industrial concern of the East sent a representative to Pittsburg with the authority to employ one hundred draftsmen and engineers with thorough technical qualifications. The representative was able to secure only forty, and these he had to pay anywhere from fifty to sixty per cent more than they were then earning to induce them to change.

The incident emphasized the great demand there is for technically trained men in every part of the United States. Not only are their services required—at high salaries—in all kinds of construction work, but they are as much in demand for administrative positions. A large proportion of the men at the heads of the various railroad companies are those with engineering educations, and it is stated on good authority that sixty per cent of the officials of the steel industry are technically trained men.

Such is the demand for the man with a technical education that a writer in a recent number of a national industrial publication refers to him as the "autocrat of the business world," meaning that he may command almost any salary within reason. The same writer cites the fact that industrial employers are eagerly seeking the graduates of the technical schools, and mentions an instance where one firm wanted to employ the entire graduating class of a well-known engineering university.

No single agency has done so much to give men technical training as has the International Correspondence Schools of Scranton, Pa. By the unique methods of this great institution, young men may gain thorough technical training in all the leading engineering trades and professions, without giving up any employment that they may have. In almost all large industrial concerns of America these Schools have graduates working with the graduates of leading universities. The Schools can point to thousands of cases where men formerly working as laborers or occupying inferior positions have, through the I. C. S. perfected system of training by mail, become engineers, superintendents, managers, foreman, or heads of their own enterprises.

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